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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

MASIGNANI et al.

Serial No.: 10/031,289

Filing Date: May 31, 2002

Title: ANTIGENIC MENINGOCOCCAL PEPTIDES

Examiner: S. DEVI

Group Art Unit: 1645

Confirmation No.: 6882

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a Response to Restriction Requirement and Second Preliminary Amendment in response to the Restriction Requirement dated May 7, 2004.

- x Response to Restriction Requirement and Second Preliminary Amendment (10 pages).
- x Petition to Extend Time for 5 Months.
- x Return receipt postcard.

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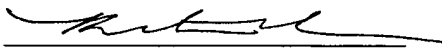
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Total Claims	20	- 21	0	x \$18.00	\$0
Independent Claims	1	- 3	0	x \$88.00	\$0
Multiple dependent claims not previously presented, add \$300.00					\$0
Total Amendment Fee					\$0
Petition for Extension of Time Fee					\$2,080.00
Small Entity Reduction (if applicable)					\$0
TOTAL FEE DUE					\$2,080.00

x A check for \$2,080.00 is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17, and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 11/5/04

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